

CHILD NUTRITION AND FOOD DISTRIBUTION DIVISION

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TO:	Summer Food Service Program Sponsors	ISSUE DATE: May 1997
FROM:	Summer Food Service Program Unit	
ATTENTION:	Authorized Representatives	
SUBJECT:	Crediting Yogurt as a Meat Alternate	

This Management Bulletin transmits information from the United States Department of Agriculture allowing the use of yogurt as a meat alternate in the Child Nutrition Programs effective April 7, 1997. Previously, yogurt could be credited as a meat alternate only for the supplement (snack) meal patterns. Under the final rule, four ounces of yogurt satisfy one ounce of the meat/meat alternate requirement for breakfast, lunch, and supper served under any of the Child Nutrition Programs.

If you have any questions or need further clarification, please contact Joye McKetty, Child Nutrition Consultant, Summer Food Service Program Unit, at (916) 323-0213 or leave a message at the toll free number (800) 333-5675.

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